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Applicant(s): ANDERSON et al.

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## PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of three (3) month, to and including March 9, 2009, to respond to the Office Action dated September 9, 2008.

As authorized in the accompanying Credit Card Payment form provided with this Response, the Commissioner should charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) in the amount of \$1110.00 and any additional fees to Avon Products, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-3782. Order No. SC30X-US.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 6, 2009

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